

REMARKS

This communication is responsive to the restriction requirement dated September 1, 2010. Claims 78 and 98–116 are pending in the application, following a response to an earlier restriction requirement dated April 19, 2010, and prior to entry of the present claim amendments. In the present restriction requirement, the Examiner restricted the above-identified patent application, requiring election of a single group of claims for prosecution under 35 U.S.C. § 121. In response, Applicants have (A) elected, without traverse, Group I, claims 78 and 98–115, drawn to the method using cells which have not been genetically manipulated; and (B) canceled, without prejudice, the claims corresponding to the unelected group. Applicants reserve the right to pursue any of the canceled claims at a later time.

If the Examiner has any questions, or if a telephone interview would in any way advance prosecution of the application, please contact the undersigned attorney of record.

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